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COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY HOLDS SPRING OPEN HOUSE

MISSOULA--

An upcoming open house will allow potential students and their families to get an inside look at the campus, programs and financial aid options at The University of Montana's College of Technology.

The open house will begin at 7 p.m. Wednesday, April 7, at COT's East Campus, 909 South Avenue West. Appetizers prepared by the Culinary Arts Program will be served during check-in, followed by a welcome and introductory session.

Next on the agenda, at 7:20 p.m., is an academic information session, where potential students may choose to learn more about one of the following academic areas:

- Barber styling (room AD05)
- Business programs (room AD11)
- Computer programs (room HB01)
- Culinary programs (Hunter Dining Room)
- Electronics programs (room HB08)
- General studies (room HB06)
- Health care programs (room AD04)
- Industrial programs (room HB07)

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- Management programs (room HB11)

At 8 p.m., participants will choose one of four sessions:

- Career Interest Inventory (room AD 16) -- Participants in this session will narrow down career choices using a computer-aided interest inventory. Computer experience is not necessary.
- East Campus Tour (meet in library) -- A guided tour will showcase COT's programs in business, culinary arts, computers, health care, barber styling and management.
- Financial Aid (room AD04) -- COT's financial aid director will discuss types of financial aid available and how to apply.
- Non-Traditional Students (room AD11) -- This workshop, designed specifically for students over 21, will address the unique obstacles faced by nontraditional students.

At 8:30 p.m., students will choose one of another five sessions:

- West Campus Tour (Board van in west parking lot of the East Campus) -- Guides will show participants COT's electronics and industrial facilities. (Please note: The van will return to the East Campus at about 9:15 p.m.)
- Career Interest Inventory (room AD16) -- Participants in this session will narrow down career choices using a computer-aided interest inventory. Computer experience is not necessary.
- East Campus Tour (meet in library) -- A guided tour will explore COT's programs in business, culinary arts, computers, health care, barber styling and

management.

- Financial Aid (room AD04) -- COT's financial aid director will discuss types of financial aid available and how to apply.
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The open house concludes at 9 p.m. with a program evaluation and check-out.

To register for the open house, call COT's admission office at (406) 243-7882 or toll-free at (800) 542-6882.

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